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Hello,

Thank you all for confirming your participation in the upcoming Western Governors' Drought Forum meeting, ***Drought Impacts and Solutions in the Agricultural Sector***, on November 13-14 in Sacramento, California. You have all agreed to participate in ***Roundtable I: What is Drought? A Slow-Moving Disaster through the Lenses of Agriculture, Water Management, and Environment.***

### **Panel Details**

WGA wants to foster an interactive and ongoing discussion between panelists and participants at this meeting. Panels will start with 5-6 minutes for each panelist to make opening remarks. Panelists may use two or three optional slides to set the framework for their perspective.

After all panelists have spoken, California Secretary for Natural Resources John Laird will start the discussion by asking a general question of the speakers and the audience. Then, he will encourage panelists and meeting participants to ask questions of each other and to expound upon certain points. **Please prepare one-two questions for your fellow panelists and meeting participants** in order to

help promote this interactive discussion.

In order to give you the opportunity to meet your fellow panelists and coordinate on discussion topics, please complete [this Doodle poll](#) to indicate your availability for a 30-minute conference call next week.

Thank you,

Carlee

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